

**Student Programs Agreement  
National Weather Service**

**Definitions**

**School:** A national or state accredited high school, technical, vocational, 2- or 4-year college or university, graduate or professional school.

**Student:** One who is **enrolled or accepted for enrollment** as a degree seeking student taking at least a half-time academic, technical, or vocational course in a School.

**Student Program:** Student-oriented National Weather Service (NWS) programs per Attachments.

**Terms of Agreement**

This agreement establishes a basis of mutual understanding for conducting a Student Program between the National Weather Service and the undersigned School for the purpose of enhancing the educational experience of the Student and School plus advancing the mission and goals of the National Weather Service.

All students will be appropriately dressed for a professional environment. Also, picture identification is required for security purposes. The NWS will require the student to fill out all applicable paperwork per the attachments. Except for Tier 1 Employment, no wages or compensation of any kind may be claimed by a student or the undersigned School.

The undersigned School and the National Weather Service San Juan will consider amendments proposed by either party to the terms of this agreement and by mutual consent, will amend this agreement in writing. This agreement may be modified or superseded at any time due to changes in Federal laws, regulations or orders. The National Weather Service will advise the undersigned School of such changes and, if substantive, the agreement will be modified by mutual consent.

This agreement becomes void after any twelve month period during which no students have participated.

This agreement becomes effective upon signature by all parties and shall continue unless terminated by mutual consent or by either party upon 30 days notice.

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School Name

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Department Chair Printed Name

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Department Chair Signature

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Date

**National Weather Service Signatures**

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Roberto Garcia, Meteorologist-in-Charge  
NWS Weather Forecast Office, San Juan, Puerto Rico

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Date

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Gary Votaw, Science and Operations Officer  
NWS Weather Forecast Office, San Juan, Puerto Rico

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Date